

COAL PROFITS SHOW INCREASE IN MARCH

Margin Raised to 42 Cents a Ton From 29 in February.

WASHINGTON, June 25.—Coal production statistics compiled by the federal trade commission from reports submitted by 1,081 operators for March indicate an increase in the profit per ton of 13 cents, or 45 per cent.

The margin of profit per ton in March, the commission declared today, was 42 cents against 29 in February. Average cost per ton was reduced four per cent in the intervening month and the output per working day increased five per cent. The average number of days worked by each miner during March was given as 19, against 17, in February.

Production in March by the operators reporting to the commission aggregated 16,977,642 tons, as compared with 13,774,356 tons in the preceding month, and a monthly average of 14,167,000 tons in 1931.

The commission's detailed analysis of the month's reports showed an average cost per ton of 1.06, of which the price of \$2.33 and an average profit of \$1.27, approximately. Under the head of expenses, labor led with \$1.12 per ton, supplies cost 27 cents and general expenses 24 cents per ton. In 1931 the labor item was \$1.49, supplies 25 cents and general 24 cents, giving a total cost per ton at the mine of \$2.94 in that year, when the sales price was \$2.66.

GALLATIN FARMER TAKES OWN LIFE

GALLATIN, Tenn., June 24 (Sp.)—Robert Lee Franklin, prominent stockman and farmer of Sumner county, died yesterday as a result of a self-inflicted bullet wound. Mr. Franklin shot himself in the head with a rifle Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock at his home on the Long Hollow turnpike.

He was unconscious until his death and made no statement.

It is supposed his mind was temporarily unbalanced. Mr. Franklin was a son of the late Dr. John W. Franklin.

NEW THRILLERS WILL BE SEEN AT PARK SUNDAY

Thrillers, death-defying feats, vaudeville, singing, dancing and music will make up the great outdoor show Sunday afternoon at the Aerial Amusement park. One thriller will be the exhibition of "Barville" racing a motorcycle in his exhibition of speed at low altitude, winding up with his attempt to outdistance a fast racing motorcycle in a two-lap race.

Joe Marriott will stage a feature on which he has been working for several weeks, attempting to recover 20 silken parachutes released at an altitude of 2,000 feet before they reach the ground. In order to accomplish this feat every trick known to aviation has to be employed in chasing earthward the rapidly descending chute. Another feat he will attempt will be to make a spiral descent and land his ship directly in front of the grand stand without touching the control with his hands.

The musical concert of the four big vaudeville acts will not be presented on the stage until 2 p.m. There will be four acts in addition to the usual concert and the jazz orchestra selections. Another innovation Sunday will be throwing open the grand stand to all park visitors.

Producers of the big spectacle "hat will be staged at the park on July 4, are already in the city and work of arranging details for the big event will be started as soon as the crowds leave the park Sunday.

COMPANY PERMITTED TO CONTINUE SUGAR SUIT

NEW YORK, June 25.—The Federal Sugar Refining company yesterday won the right to continue its suit against the United States sugar equalization board for \$19,472 profits it claims on the sale of sugar to the Norwegian government during the war. This right was granted when Federal Judge Mayer sustained the company's demurrers to affirmative defenses set up by the board in federal court.

The company's alleged complaint that it contracted with the Norwegian government's food commission in 1917 to sell it 4,500 tons of sugar at 11 cents a pound, which the Norwegian commission refused to accept after the sugar equalization board had sold it a similar amount following the incorporation and refusal of the company's application for a license to export and deliver it.

The profits on the transaction were \$19,472, the company alleges in its suit.

NONPARTISANS FAVOR TICKET OF DEMOCRATS

GREAT FALLS, Mont., June 25.—The Montana Nonpartisan league convention adjourned yesterday after debating to support the ticket selected in the Democratic primary for state and county offices. A suggestion for organization of a third party was voted down.

The convention adopted a resolution endorsing Eugene V. Debs in his course and asking for his release from prison. The resolution also demands the repeal of all alien laws in the state and nation and release of all "political prisoners."

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GEORGIA SUFFRAGE ACTION POSTPONED

ATLANTA, Ga., June 25.—The Georgia senate has passed over until next Monday final action on the proposed amendment to the state constitution for woman suffrage. An effort to take the proposition here was defeated by a vote of 18 to 19. Senator Barrett, author of the measure, in a short address, opposed federal action on the suffrage question, especially in the Southern states, because of the large negro population.

DON'T MOVE MOVABLE GARAGE, COURT SAYS

P. B. Gianotti is seeking a permanent injunction in chancery court to prevent police and city authorities from interfering with his garage on Union avenue, at Lumbkin street. He obtained a temporary stop order late Thursday. Hearing on the permanent injunction comes up next week.

Citizens on Union avenue object to garages. There was none at Union and Lumbkin Wednesday night. There was one at Union and Lumbkin Thursday morning. No permit had been issued. Residents called up Mayor Payne. The mayor said that the garage was "just a portable affair," the mayor gave him two hours to move it. Gianotti then filed his application for injunction.

EMBARGO STOPS PEACH SHIPMENTS TO EAST

MA'ON, Ga., June 25.—New York and points east will be cut off from Georgia's peach supply unless a railroad outlet is provided through some other gateway other than the Potomac river at Washington. It is said here. The embargo on account of labor trouble was effective at 10 o'clock this morning.

Georgia's fruit crop is later than usual and heavy shipments have not yet begun.

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Service Station To Replace Jackson's Oldest Residence

JACKSON, Tenn., June 25 (Sp.)—Replacement of the old R. H. Anderson home on East Main street at the intersection of Cumberland, the oldest residence in Jackson, by a branch establishment of the People's Service Station of Memphis with local investments aggregating \$10,000, will be started in the immediate future, it was announced today by Col. R. L. Beare, who is the owner of that property.

The old building will be wrecked and the work of constructing the new establishment will begin just as soon as contracts can be let. The new plant will begin operations within the next 30 days.

HOG BREEDERS TO MEET.

JACKSON, Tenn., June 25 (Sp.)—An important meeting of the Madison County Poland-China Breeders' association is scheduled to be held in the Association of Commerce rooms Saturday, according to County Agent Judd Brooks. C. B. Caldwell, chairman of the county organization and ardent supporter of the membership. Matters pertaining to broadening the scope of the organization and other plans, including an exhibit at the West Tennessee fair this fall, will be discussed at the meeting.

1,350,000 HUNS SLAIN.
GENEVA, June 25. (By the Associated Press.)—The recent statistics published in Germany on that country's war losses state that 1,350,000 men were killed. There are today 520,000 war widows, 1,120,000 war orphans and 800,000 maimed or consumptive supported mostly by charity.

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PRIZE HOG COST \$2,000.
OSAWATOMIE, Kas., June 24 (By International News Service.)—William Hunt, owner of Fairholme farm, near here, possesses what is believed to be one of the most valuable hogs in Kansas.

The animal recently was purchased by Hunt at a cost of \$2,000. It will head his herd of spotted Poland Chinas.

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